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## Lon.

Here is suggested language that offers a fuller description of the extensive peer review process used for the Suquamish survey:

The Suquamish survey was subject to extensive internal and external technical peer review throughout the process, from development through reporting. The study was funded by ATSDR, with the Washington State Department of Health as the Co-Principal Investigator. A technical review panel consisted of representatives from EPA Region 10, Washington Department of Ecology, Washington Department of Health, and the University of Washington; a representative from the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Institute also served as a survey consultant.

Also, as we discussed, please remove the last paragraph of the response. It comes across as a recommendation by EPA and I don't think that was what you intended.

Please let me know if the changes will be made. I'd like to see a copy of the final response.

Thanks,

Denice